

**IN THE ABSTRACT:**

Please amend the Abstract with the following:

In a staple case [[1]] provided with a staple pull-out opening [[9]] and a lower face opening [[10]], a roll staple [[S]] is contained, so that the staple case can be directly installed in a staple cartridge [[C]]. When the staple cartridge [[C]] is loaded in an electric stapler, a staple-feeding roller [[12]] is in contact with the roll staple [[S]]. As the staple-feeding roller rotationally drives the roll staple, a leading edge of the roll staple is fed to a leading edge of a guide portion [[13]] of the staple cartridge through the staple pull-out opening.